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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims

Claims 1 - 3 (*cancelled*)

4. (*currently amended*) A compound radiopharmaceutical according to claim ~~1~~ 47, comprising 1-5 targeting moieties.

5. (*currently amended*) A compound radiopharmaceutical according to claim ~~1~~ 47, comprising one targeting moiety.

Claims 6 - 11 (*cancelled*)

12. (*currently amended*) A compound radiopharmaceutical according to claim ~~1~~ 47, wherein the linking group is of the formula:



W^1 is $C(=O)NR^{15}$;

R^{15} is H , $=O$, $COOH$, SO_3H , PO_3H , C_1-C_5 alkyl substituted with 0-3 R^{16} , aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{16} , benzyl substituted with 0-3 R^{16} , C_1-C_5 alkoxy substituted with 0-3 R^{16} , $NHC(=O)R^{17}$, $C(=O)NHR^{17}$, NHR^{17} , R^{17} , and a bond to the chelator;

R^{16} is independently selected at each occurrence from the group: a bond to the chelator, $COOR^{17}$, $C(=O)NHR^{17}$, $NHC(=O)R^{17}$, OH , NHR^{17} , SO_3H , PO_3H , $-OPO_3H_2$, $-OSO_3H$, aryl substituted with 0-3 R^{17} , C_1-5 alkyl substituted with 0-1 R^{18} , C_1-5 alkoxy substituted with 0-1 R^{18} , and a 5-10 membered heterocyclic ring system containing 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from N, S, and O and substituted with 0-3 R^{17} ;

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R¹⁷ is independently selected at each occurrence from the group: H, alkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, aryl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, a 5-10 membered heterocyclic ring system containing 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from N, S, and O and substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, C₃₋₁₀ cycloalkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polyalkylene glycol substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, carbohydrate substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, cyclodextrin substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, amino acid substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polycarboxyalkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polyazaalkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, peptide substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, wherein the peptide is comprised of 2-10 amino acids, 3,6-O-disulfo-B-D-galactopyranosyl, bis(phosphonomethyl)glycine, and a bond to the chelator;

R¹⁸ is a bond to the chelator;

h is 1;

g is 3;

R¹³ and R¹⁴ are independently H;

x is 1;

k is 0;

g' is 0;

h' is 1;

W² is NH; and

x' is 1.

13. (currently amended) A compound radiopharmaceutical according to claim 10 47, wherein the linking group is of the formula:



x is 0;

k is 1;

Z is aryl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁶;

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R¹⁶ is independently selected at each occurrence from the group: a bond to the chelator, COOR¹⁷, C(=O)NHR¹⁷, NHC(=O)R¹⁷, OH, NHR¹⁷, SO₃H, PO₃H, -OPO₃H₂, -OSO₃H, aryl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁷, C₁₋₅ alkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, C₁₋₅ alkoxy substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, and a 5-10 membered heterocyclic ring system containing 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from N, S, and O and substituted with 0-3 R¹⁷;

R¹⁷ is independently selected at each occurrence from the group: H, alkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, aryl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, a 5-10 membered heterocyclic ring system containing 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from N, S, and O and substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, C₃₋₁₀ cycloalkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polyalkylene glycol substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, carbohydrate substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, cyclodextrin substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, amino acid substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polycarboxyalkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polyazaalkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, peptide substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, wherein the peptide is comprised of 2-10 amino acids, 3,6-O-disulfo-B-D-galactopyranosyl, bis(phosphonomethyl)glycine, and a bond to the chelator;

R¹⁸ is a bond to the chelator;

g' is 1;

W² is NH;

R^{13a} and R^{14a} are independently H;

h' is 1; and

x' is 1.

14. (currently amended) A ~~compound~~ radiopharmaceutical according to claim ~~40~~ 47, wherein the linking group is of the formula:



W¹ is C(=O)NR¹⁵;

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R¹⁵ is H, =O, COOH, SO₃H, PO₃H, C₁-C₅ alkyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁶, aryl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁶, benzyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁶, C₁-C₅ alkoxy substituted with 0-3 R¹⁶, NHC(=O)R¹⁷, C(=O)NHR¹⁷, NHR¹⁷, R¹⁷, and a bond to the chelator;

R¹⁶ is independently selected at each occurrence from the group: a bond to the chelator, COOR¹⁷, C(=O)NHR¹⁷, NHC(=O)R¹⁷, OH, NHR¹⁷, SO₃H, PO₃H, -OPO₃H₂, -OSO₃H, aryl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁷, C₁-5 alkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, C₁-5 alkoxy substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, and a 5-10 membered heterocyclic ring system containing 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from N, S, and O and substituted with 0-3 R¹⁷;

R¹⁷ is independently selected at each occurrence from the group: H, alkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, aryl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, a 5-10 membered heterocyclic ring system containing 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from N, S, and O and substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, C₃-10 cycloalkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polyalkylene glycol substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, carbohydrate substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, cyclodextrin substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, amino acid substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polycarboxyalkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polyazaalkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, peptide substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, wherein the peptide is comprised of 2-10 amino acids, 3,6-O-disulfo-B-D-galactopyranosyl, bis(phosphonomethyl)glycine, and a bond to the chelator;

R¹⁸ is a bond to the chelator;

h is 1;

g is 2;

R¹³ and R¹⁴ are independently H;

x is 1;

k is 0;

g^{*} is 1;

R^{13a} and R^{14a} are independently H; or C₁₋₅ alkyl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁶;

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R¹⁶ is SO₃H;
 W² is NHC(=O) or NH;
 h' is 1; and
 x' is 2.

15. (cancelled)

16. (currently amended) A compound radiopharmaceutical according to claim 10 47,
 wherein the linking group is of the formula:



x is 0;

k is 0;

R^{13a} and R^{14a} are independently H; or C₁₋₅ alkyl substituted with 0-3

R¹⁶:

R¹⁶ is independently selected at each occurrence from the group: a bond to the chelator, COOR¹⁷, C(=O)NHR¹⁷, NHC(=O)R¹⁷, OH, NHR¹⁷, SO₃H, PO₃H, -OPO₃H₂, -OSO₃H, aryl substituted with 0-3 R¹⁷, C₁₋₅ alkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, C₁₋₅ alkoxy substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, and a 5-10 membered heterocyclic ring system containing 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from N, S, and O and substituted with 0-3 R¹⁷;

R¹⁷ is independently selected at each occurrence from the group: H, alkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, aryl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, a 5-10 membered heterocyclic ring system containing 1-4 heteroatoms independently selected from N, S, and O and substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, C₃₋₁₀ cycloalkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polyalkylene glycol substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, carbohydrate substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, cyclodextrin substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, amino acid substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polycarboxyalkyl substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, polyazaalkyl substituted with

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0-1 R¹⁸, peptide substituted with 0-1 R¹⁸, wherein the peptide is comprised of 2-10 amino acids, 3,6-O-disulfo-B-D-galactopyranosyl, bis(phosphonomethyl)glycine, and a bond to the chelator;

R¹⁸ is a bond to the chelator;

g' is 3;

h' is 1;

W² is NH; and

x' is 1.

17. (cancelled)

18. (currently amended) A compound radiopharmaceutical according to claim ~~10~~ 47, wherein the linking group is of the formula:



W¹ is C=O;

h is 0, 1, or 2;

g is 2;

R¹³ and R¹⁴ are ~~independently~~ H;

x is 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, or 5;

k is 0;

g' is 0;

h' is 1;

W² is NH; and

x' is 1.

19. (currently amended) A compound radiopharmaceutical according to claim ~~10~~ 47, wherein the linking group is absent.

Claims 20 - 46 (cancelled)

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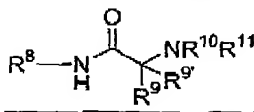
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47. (*currently amended*) A radiopharmaceutical comprising a compound ~~of claim 1~~ and a cytotoxic radioisotope ~~which is complexed to the chelator~~;

wherein said compound comprises:

- i) 1-10 targeting moieties;
- ii) a chelator; and
- iii) 0-1 linking groups between the targeting moiety and chelator;

wherein the targeting moiety is a matrix metalloproteinase inhibitor having an inhibitory constant K_i of <100 nM of the formula (Ib):



wherein,

R^8 is independently at each occurrence OH or phenyl, optionally substituted with a bond to the linking group, provided that when R^8 is phenyl, R^{10} is $-\text{C}(=\text{O})-\text{CHR}^{12}-\text{NH}-\text{CH}(\text{CH}_3)-\text{COOH}$;

R^9 and $\text{R}^{9'}$ are independently H, C1-6 alkyl optionally substituted with a bond to the linking group, or are taken together with the carbon atom to which R^9 and $\text{R}^{9'}$ are attached to form a 5-7 atom saturated, partially unsaturated or aromatic ring system containing 0-3 heteroatoms selected from O, N, SO_2 and S, said ring system substituted with R^6 and optionally substituted with a bond to the linking group;

R^{10} and R^{11} are independently H, or C1-6 alkyl optionally substituted with a bond to the linking group, or are taken together with the nitrogen atom to which they are attached to form a 5-7 atom saturated, partially unsaturated or aromatic ring system containing 0-2 additional heteroatoms selected from O, N, SO_2 and S, said ring system optionally substituted a bond to the linking group;

or alternatively,

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R⁹ and R¹⁰ are taken together with the nitrogen atom and carbon atom to which they are attached to form a 5-7 atom saturated, partially unsaturated or aromatic ring system containing 0-2 additional heteroatoms selected from O, N, SO₂ and S, said ring system optionally substituted with a bond to the linking group; and

R¹² is independently C₁₋₂₀ alkyl.

Claims 48 - 49 (cancelled)

50. (currently amended) A radiopharmaceutical comprising: according to claim 49
wherein the compound is a cytotoxic radioisotope and a compound
selected from the group consisting of:

2-[[5-(3-{2-[(6-Hydroxycarbamoyl-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-aza-bicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(15),12(16),13-triene-10-carbonyl)-amino]-acetyl-amino}-propylcarbamoyl)-pyridin-2-yl]-hydrazonomethyl}-benzenesulfonic acid; and

2-[[5-(4-{[(6-Hydroxycarbamoyl-7-isobutyl-8-oxo-2-oxa-9-aza-bicyclo[10.2.2]hexadeca-1(15),12(16),13-triene-10-carbonyl)-amino]-methyl}-benzylcarbamoyl)-pyridin-2-yl]-hydrazonomethyl}-benzenesulfonic acid; and

wherein the cytotoxic radioisotope is ^{99m}Tc.

51. (original) A radiopharmaceutical according to claim 47 wherein the cytotoxic radioisotope is selected from the group consisting of beta particle emitters, alpha particle emitters, and Auger electron emitters.

52. (original) A radiopharmaceutical according to claim 47 wherein the cytotoxic radioisotope is selected from the group consisting of: ¹⁸⁶Re, ¹⁸⁸Re, ¹⁵³Sm, ¹⁶⁶Ho, ¹⁷⁷Lu, ¹⁴⁹Pm, ⁹⁰Y, ²¹²Bi, ¹⁰³Pd, ¹⁰⁹Pd, ¹⁵⁹Gd, ¹⁴⁰La, ¹⁹⁸Au, ¹⁹⁹Au, ¹⁶⁹Yb, ¹⁷⁵Yb, ¹⁶⁵Dy, ¹⁶⁶Dy, ⁶⁷Cu, ¹⁰⁵Rh, ¹¹¹Ag, and ¹⁹²Ir.

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53. *(original)* A radiopharmaceutical according to claim 47 wherein the cytotoxic radioisotope is selected from the group consisting of: ^{186}Re , ^{188}Re , ^{153}Sm , ^{166}Ho , ^{177}Lu , ^{149}Pm , ^{90}Y , ^{212}Bi , ^{103}Pd , and ^{105}Rh .

54. *(original)* A radiopharmaceutical according to claim 47 wherein the cytotoxic radioisotope is selected from the group consisting of: ^{186}Re , ^{188}Re , ^{153}Sm , ^{166}Ho , ^{177}Lu , ^{149}Pm , ^{90}Y , and ^{212}Bi .

55. *(cancelled)*

56. *(previously presented)* A radiopharmaceutical composition comprising a radiopharmaceutical of claim 47, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Claims 57 - 60 *(cancelled)*

61. *(currently amended)* A radiopharmaceutical kit comprising a radiopharmaceutical of ~~Claim 47~~ claim 47, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt form thereof and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

62. *(currently amended)* A radiopharmaceutical kit of ~~Claim 60~~ claim 61 further comprising a stabilizer.

63. *(currently amended)* A radiopharmaceutical kit according to ~~Claim 60~~ claim 61, wherein the radioisotope is ^{186}Re or ^{188}Re and the kit further comprises one or more ancillary ligands and a reducing agent.

64. *(currently amended)* A radiopharmaceutical kit according to ~~Claim 63~~ claim 63, wherein the ancillary ligands are tricine and a phosphine.

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Claims 65 - 67 (*cancelled*)

68. (*currently amended*) A method of treating a pathological disorder mediated by a matrix metalloproteinase in a patient which comprises ~~administering~~ administering to a patient in need thereof a therapeutically effective amount of a radiopharmaceutical according to claim 47 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.

Claims 69 - 71 (*cancelled*)

72. (*original*) A method of inhibiting proliferation of cancer cells, comprising contacting the cancer cells with a proliferation-inhibitory amount of a radiopharmaceutical of claim 47.

73. (*previously presented*) A method of claim 68, wherein the matrix metalloproteinase is selected from the group consisting of: MMP-1, MMP-2, MMP-3, MMP-9, and MMP-14.

74. (*previously presented*) A method of claim 68 wherein the matrix metalloproteinase is selected from the group consisting of: MMP-2, MMP-9, and MMP-14.

Claims 75 - 77 (*cancelled*)

78. (*currently amended*) A process for the preparation of a radiopharmaceutical, said process comprising generating a macrostructure from a plurality of molecular components wherein the plurality of components ~~includes a compound of claim 1 and a cytotoxic radioisotope~~ comprises a radiopharmaceutical according to claim 47.

79. (*cancelled*)